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First Lieut. E. J. Arceneaux Awarded Oak Leaf Cluster

A United States Troop Carrier Force Base, France—Word was received today that First Lieutenant E. J. Arceneaux of 112 South Beach Boulevard, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, has been awarded the Oak Leaf Cluster to the Air Medal for his work in last September's invasion of Holland.

Pilot or a paratroop hauling, glider-towing C-47, Lt. Arceneaux was awarded the Air Medal following the invasion of Normandy last June. The Oak Leaf Cluster was presented for "meritorious achievement" and for demonstrating "exceptional airmanship and resolution" in carrying out his assigned task in the operations.

Lt. Arceneaux, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Arceneaux of South Beach Boulevard address, entered the service in June, 1940, and left for overseas duty late in 1943. His wife, Mrs. Rita F. Arceneaux, lives in New Orleans, Louisiana.

His unit, which is a part of the United States Troop Carrier Force, has played an active role in World War II, having spearheaded the invasions of Normandy, Southern France, Holland and dropping paratroopers and gliders in enemy territory. It has carried supplies to the fighting forces and has evacuated wounded from the Western front to hospitals in England.

United States Troop Carrier Force, headed by Major General Paul L. Williams, from the air component of Lieutenant General Lewis H. Brereton's new First Allied Airborne Army, which made its battle debut on the German northern flank in Holland.

Selectees Ordered To Report For Pre-Induction Physical Examination

The following white selectees have been ordered to report for Pre-Induction Physical Examination on April 20, 1945. Selectees will report to Local Board's Office, Courthouse, Bay St. Louis, Miss., at 8:00 o'clock a. m., and will leave for Camp Shelby by bus at 9:30 a. m.:

Billy Edward Miller
Nelson Alvah Favre
Carl Shelton McKean
Robert Judson Ferguson
Oliver Suchareet Hill
Achille Anthony Loicano
Barney Belton Nelson
Wilbur Joseph Haas
Earl Francis Raymond
Walter Milton Mitchell
Thomas Frances Monti, Jr.
Mildred Perkins
August Milton Vassalli
Woodrow Wilson Foster
Clarence Albert Liza
Laurent Arthur Nicaise
William John Bourgeois
Arnold Wilson Lee
Jesse Leon Davis
Victor Aloysius Carver
Eric Joseph Nicaise
John Johnston
Orease Peter Ladner
Valerie Ladner
Alphonse Joseph Lind
Harry Sidney Carver
Clifton Alwin Lee
Horton Cuevas
Rudolph C. Cuevas
Clemente Lader
Harold Veran Carver
John Rosine McKean
Rudolph Provis Ladner
Robert E. Shaw, Jr.
Wilford August Moran
Ares Joseph Hoda
Alfred J. Coppel
Frank Augustus Peterson
Leander Sylvester Hoda
Edward Roger Estapa
Laverne Stanley Pahlman
Alon Alphonse Travica
Grady Willis McLendon
Benedict Francis Bourgeois
Earl Joseph Nicaise
Wiley Woods
Herbert Cuevas
Emile August Schindler
Olander John Hoda
Richard Lester Johnston
Oswald Leo Villere
Lavander Louis Nicaise
Wilton Alcie Nicaise
Earl Edward Ladner
Samuel Leroy Favre, Jr.

COLOR SELECTED

The following colored selectees have been ordered to report for Pre-Induction Physical Examination on April 17, 1945. Selectees will report to Local Board's Office, Courthouse at 8:00 o'clock a. m., and will leave for Camp Shelby at 8:30 a. m.:

Oris Joseph Conley Acker
Ernest Xavier Smith
Nathaniel Louis
Arthur Howard James
Homer L. Carter
Tommy Lee Carter
Albert Wado Acker
Alfred Ovil Williams
Eugene Washington Vaughn
Harry Hall

Mr. Bill Keefe, sports editor for the Times Picayune, visited in Bay St. Louis last Friday and was welcomed by many friends.

After renewing acquaintances up town he went to St. Stanislaus and observed the wonderful sports program carried on there. After returning to New Orleans he gave the local school a big boost with a nice write-up in his column.

Elected Official "Mississippi Mother of 1945"



MRS. C. C. McDONALD

Mrs. C. C. McDonald of this city was elected official "Mississippi Mother of 1945" at a recent meeting held in Jackson. The election was conducted by the Mississippi committee appointed by Governor Thomas L. Bailey from nominations sent in from over the state.

Mrs. McDonald will be the state nominee for the title of "American Mother of 1945" in national finals to be conducted by the Golden Rule Foundation. The committee named Mrs. John K. McDowell of Jackson as alternate.

Mrs. McDonald, with three of her four sons in the service, has been significantly honored in this nomination because of her outstanding work in the state. She has been a member of the board of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers, is a member of the State Board of Public Welfare, has been president and national treasurer of the Alpha Omicron Pi Sorority.

Mammoth Show Put On By Garden Club Nets \$900 For Red Cross

The mammoth show put on by the Bay-Waveland Garden Club last week which included their annual flower show was an unprecedented success and netted far more than their expectations.

The entertainment was given for the benefit of the Red Cross War Fund and \$900 was remitted to the fund.

Even with the devastation to flowers caused by the recent high winds and tides and the heavy rains the flower show was most creditable. Lieut. O. J. Litzloff carried off the grand prize for his large variety of entries from his country home. Others winning recognition were as follows: Specimens: Mrs. L. T. Boyd, blue ribbon; Mrs. H. A. Elledge, red ribbon; Mrs. C. R. Matthews, white ribbon. Roses, mixed variety: Mrs. Eugene Mogabgab, blue ribbon; Mrs. Roy Baxter, Sr., red ribbon; Mrs. H. C. Glover, white ribbon; roses, mixed variety: Mrs. Walter Dupaque, blue ribbon; Mrs. Elizabeth Boudin, blue ribbon; Mrs. Antoinette Trastour, red ribbon; Sam Mayer, white ribbon. Arrangement, mixed variety: Mrs. Nina Stillwell, blue ribbon; Mrs. Edouard C. Carriere, red ribbon; Mrs. L. T. Boyd, white ribbon. Arrangement, one variety: Mrs. L. T. Boyd, blue ribbon; Mrs. F. R. Reindl, red ribbon; Mrs. Alden Maufrey, white ribbon; Wild flowers: Mrs. L. T. Boyd, blue ribbon; Mrs. Frank Kiefer, red ribbon; Mrs. C. R. Matthews, white ribbon. Miniature: Misses Engman, blue ribbon; Misses Engman, red ribbon; Mrs. C. S. Wittelsberger, white ribbon.

In the Baby Picture contest those winning the War Stamps books were Molly Dominy, Andrea Blaise, Ronald Russell and Steven Steffler.

The entertainment feature was the program put on by the young people which drew many comments of appreciation. It was a well-timed program.

Fair Sponsored By Knights Of Columbus Saturday and Sunday Grand Success

The fair held on the grounds of Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church for the benefit of the debt fund of the Pere LeDuc Council of Knights of Columbus was a huge success and those having the affair in charge were well pleased with the result.

Other than the War Bond prizes there was one registered pig which was won by Dupre Lapoint. W. Helms of Blount won the \$100.00 bond; Richard Day won the \$50.00 bond and Fred Herlihy the \$25.00 bond.

The council expressed appreciation of the interest shown them by the Right Rev. Msgr. A. J. Gmelch, Father Clark, Father Martin. Also the help given by the wives of the members of the council and many non-members who gave freely of their time and materials to help make the affair a success.

Altar Society Meeting

The regular Altar Society meeting of Our Lady of the Gulf Church will be held Wednesday, April 18th at 8:00 p. m. at St. Joseph Academy. Members are invited and urged to attend.

RED CROSS DRIVE NETS \$8,976; \$876 OVER ASSESSED QUOTA

The Red Cross War Fund Drive under the efficient leadership of Mrs. Roger Boh, County chairman, and Mrs. George Boh, City chairman, has closed with a total collection of \$8,976 an excess of \$876 over the assessed quota.

Mrs. Boh and Mrs. Bea readily admit that this would not have been possible had it not been for the hundred percent cooperation and team work of the workers throughout the city and county. These ladies feel that it would be their pleasure to write each worker a personal letter but with their over crowded schedule this seems to be impossible so they take this method of thanking the workers collectively and individually for the splendid spirit in which they worked and made it possible for this large amount realized.

A splendid piece of work has been done and Hancock County has kept its splendid record for war work which it has held for many years.

"The Fat Situation Is Acute" Says Bulletin From Washington

Bulletins issued from Washington say: "The Fat Situation is Acute. Right now, we have a shortage of 150 million pounds of fat."

It is undeniably true that you have many calls for so many contributions but all are necessary for the war effort so rally to this call and SAVE YOUR FATS.

The War Food Administration says we must salvage 250 million pounds of used kitchen fat in 1945 to help meet minimum requirements on products made from inedible tallow grease.

The present shortage could be met if every family in the United States save one pound of fat a month. This shortage would fill 15 trainloads—100 cars to the train.

Fat is needed for munitions, medicines, military soaps for minimum civilian soap requirements and for hundreds of other things. A hint to the wise is sufficient. You and the wise. This is the hint. Save your fats and leave them at Scharff's store and diBenedetto's Grocery.

"Stunt Day at Bay High Last Thursday

Last Thursday was "stunt day" at Bay High School and the students had their fling in putting on their stunts.

The senior class threw aside their proper dignity (?) that belongs to the high school senior and put on a circus. Their interpretation of the circus performance was a big success and created a lot of laughs.

The junior class gave a skit entitled "Don't Let This Happen To Your Class" which was a take off on getting ready for an assembly program.

The Sophomore class gave "The Hawaiian Episode" with Mary Ann Siemens and Catherine Garriga doing a Hula Hula dance and Jimmie McDonald with the "Keep Off the Grass" sign as Herbert Genin mowed the lawn.

The innocent little freshmen were represented by Gloria Biehl, Jane DuBuisson and Lanell Price doing a dance and pleasing with some vocal numbers.

The eighth grade stunt was Tommy January starring as Frank Sinatra and singing, "I Didn't Sleep A Wink Last Night" and "You Always Hurt the One You Love."

The seventh grade put on a farce entitled "A Country Family Trying to Cross a Railroad Track" which created a lot of mirth.

Seniors taking part were Alicia Rollins, Jane Volpe, Mary Catherine Bennett, Betty LeVine, Ann Smith, June Swan, Rosemary Rollins, Laura Ann Starita, Algenie Riggs, Toni Murphy, Eunice Moran, Karl Francis, Neil Walker, Oscar Davis and Marion Lozano.

Seventh graders were J. T. Wolfe, Teddy Albert, Carmella Ann Fernandez, Daniel Rayard, Myrtle Cook, Jack Dresher, Retta Kimmel, Netta Plush, Patsy Nicholson, Helen Ladner, Durrel Jones, Martin Noto, Janet Selzer, Odell Saucier, Rod Adams. A committee of judges, Miss Elizabeth Harrington, Mrs. L. A. Rogers and A. B. DuBuisson, voted the prize to the senior class as giving the cleverest stunt.

R-T. A. Has Funds Matched

The local R-T. A. has just received word that they have been granted \$500.00 by the Mississippi State Board of Health to match a like amount raised by them in Hancock County for treatment of physical defects in deserving school children.

The organization expects to get the program underway in the next few weeks and teachers and parents all over the county are getting ready to help.

All of this money remains in Hancock County to be spent only on Hancock County school children.

To Be Guest of Womans Benefit Association at Banquet April 17



MISS FRANCES E. PARTRIDGE

Miss Frances E. Partridge, Port Huron, Michigan, supreme secretary of the Womans Benefit Association, will be a guest of the local Review at the annual banquet to be held at Hotel Reed on April 17 marking their 34th birthday.

All sons and daughters of members of the WBA in uniform are invited to the banquet as guests, also fathers and brothers of members wearing uniforms.

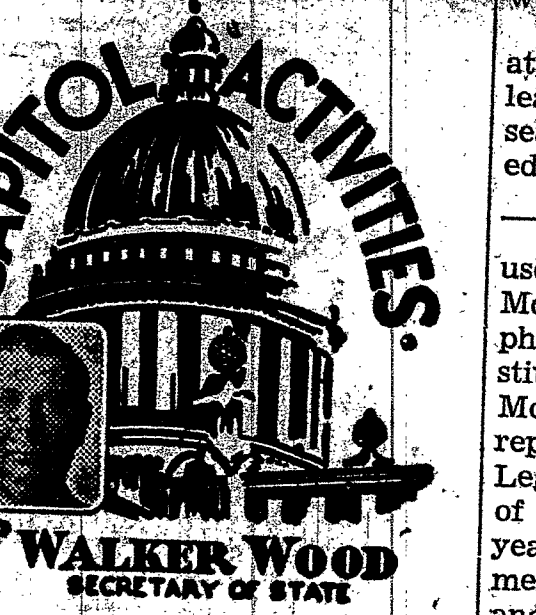
A class of new members will be presented to Miss Partridge for membership. All members are working toward the building of an insurance. There will be fifteen or more members of Biloxi Review No. 9 attending the banquet.

LOCAL CUB PACK RECEIVES CHARTER

In an impressive ceremony on Sunday afternoon Cub Pack No. 208 of Bay St. Louis received its charter. After invocation by Rev. Msgr. A. J. Gmelch, Cub Pack 36 of New Orleans took part in the exercises and presented the flag.

Fred Herlihy received the charter in behalf of the Knights of Columbus, who are sponsoring the local. Mr. Ted Robin addressed the group and welcomed the visitors, after which Mr. Brey, Field Representative of New Orleans Area of Boy Scouts of America, outlined the work and organization of Cub Packs.

Lt. Quintini was a student nurse at the Charity Hospital in New Orleans prior to army service. Overseas since August 1943; she has served in North Africa and Italy.



PUBLIC HEARING

Governor Bailey has announced a public hearing of state-wide interest to be held in the House of Representatives in the Capitol on May first to discuss the regulations on the spacing of oil and gas wells. All land owners, owners of royalties, and oil and gas prospectors will be interested in the hearing, which will be conducted before the Oil and Gas Board, with Governor Bailey as chairman.

CASH AND COLLECTIONS

On the first day of April the State Treasury held a General Fund balance of \$15,062,781.39 and all obligations up to that date were paid. But within the first week of April some bills were paid which pulled the total down somewhat.

Auditor, Bert J. Barnett, gave out a statement on the last day of March in which he predicts that the cash balance at the end of the present year will be between fifteen and seventeen million dollars. The tax commission reports collections for the first three months of 1945 of \$9,494,752.63 as against \$9,624,077.78 for the same period of 1944.

In the main, comes in the income tax, which is almost a million dollars short of 1944, due largely to the change in the law reducing the rate. The tobacco tax, left somewhat from last year, but the sales tax continues to run ahead of last year. The severance tax on crude oil for three months is \$286,949.83. Beer and wine tax is running around forty thousand dollars ahead of last year.

SEVENTH WAR LOAN

The Seventh War Loan which will be the largest ever put on will be launched on May 14. The official symbol of the drive will be a picture of the Marine raising the American flag on Mount Surabachi, on Iwo Jima. The Treasury Department will print 3,500,000 copies of this picture and it will be used in magazines, daily papers, billboards and other avenues of publicity. It is to be hoped that this loan will be the last one in connection with the war, but this is not known.

The drive in Mississippi will be led by Rex I. Brown. The State's goal will be \$52,000,000.

FRED McDONALD, Mississippi, giving up a food and

Second Lieut. Audrae A. Quintini Now Serving With 24th General Hospital

Peninsular Base Headquarters, Italy—Second Lieutenant Audrae A. Quintini, Army Nurse, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Quintini, of 112 Second Street, Bay St. Louis, is now serving here with the 24th General Hospital, which has made an impressive record during a year and a half overseas. It was for a time the nearest General Hospital to the Italian front lines.

It is one of the many units in this vast Base, important service and supply organization for Fifth Army and for the ground forces of the U. S. Air Corps and Navy in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations.

This hospital was organized at Tulane University, New Orleans, Louisiana, and activated at Fort Benning, Georgia, on July 15, 1942. Nearly all of the Medical Officers are either graduates of the University or served their internship at the Charity Hospital in New Orleans. This is the second such hospital to have been drawn from Tulane the first having been organized in September 1917, going overseas shortly thereafter.

The Commanding Officer of the Hospital is Colonel Walter C. Royals, Medical Corps, who is also a graduate of Tulane University and has served in the Regular Army Since 1918.

The present unit shipped overseas in August 1943 and was stationed near Bizerte, Tunisia, prior to being ordered to Italy in June 1944. It set up operations in one of the largest and most modern hospital buildings in the country. At that time its rated capacity was 1000 beds, but recently it has been designated by the War Department as a 1500-bed hospital with expansion facilities to 2250.

Two weeks after the Anzio landing, the number of patients in the hospital had more than doubled, and similar increases occurred with the push from Cassino through Rome and Florence. Nevertheless, the death rate has consistently been held to an amazingly low figure. This figure is very low when it is considered that three fourths of the admissions were battle casualties, many of whom were admitted in less than 24 hours after they had been wounded.

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useful man in the transfer of Fred McDowell from the Methodist Orphanage at Jackson to a similar institution at Macon, Georgia. Mr. McDowell was born in Ripley, has represented Chickasaw County in the Legislature and has been at the head of the Methodist institution for ten years or more. Under his management the Home has been improved and paid out of debt, and he leaves it in fine shape. Mississippi regrets to lose such a splendid man as Fred McDowell.

CHANCERY JUDGES

There is a movement on foot, being discussed around the Capitol and elsewhere in the state, to have more chancery judges provided for the state. At the present time, Mississippi has eleven chancery districts, and some are suggesting that the number be raised to fifteen. The state has seventeen circuit court districts. This movement will probably be presented to the Legislature next January.

HOLIDAY

Mississippi's next legal holiday will be on April 26—Memorial Day. Memorial Day originated in Mississippi at Columbus, in 1866 the women of Columbus went to the cemetery and decorated the graves of the Confederate soldiers and out of goodness of their hearts also decorated the graves of Federal soldiers buried in the same cemetery. The occasion attracted national attention and was the inspiration upon which Judge Finch of New York wrote his beautiful poem, "The Blue and the Gray." Following this very soon was the designation of April 26 as Memorial Day. But several years later a national memorial day was selected and the date named as May 30.

DR. SHAW

Dr. O. A. Shaw, Dean of the School of Education in the University and one of the best known educators in the state, died last week at the age of 74.

Dr. Shaw was connected with school work many years, served as head of the Winona school for many years and then went to the University where he has done a fine work.

GOVERNOR BAILEY INDISPOSED

Governor Thomas L. Bailey has been confined to his room in the Mansion for several days suffering from a sprained ankle. His condition is improving and he hopes to return to the executive office in the capitol this week. In the meantime, Governor Bailey's mother is sick in a Jackson hospital, but at this writing is believed to be improving.

BROTHERS MEET IN PARIS



SGT. DORAN J. AND PVT. PHILIP MURPHY

After a separation of nearly three years, two brothers, Pvt. Philip Murphy, 38 and SGT. Doran J. Murphy, 27, sons of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Murphy, of Logtown, Miss., had the heart warming experience of meeting in Paris, France, March 6th.

Pvt. Murphy entered service, Jan. 1944, trained as a Medical soldier and left for active duty overseas, Dec. 1944, where, with the 73rd Hospital train unit, he has seen many parts of the European war theatre. Pvt. Murphy will be remembered as a Ne-Hi salesman on the coast. His wife, the former Miss Edwina Jones, 36th avenue in Gulfport. Pvt. Murphy writes home that his brother is in excellent condition, considering the "tough times" he has been thru. SGT. Murphy volunteered for service in September 1940, and was transferred to overseas duty in Africa, January 1st, 1943. After the African Campaign he was sent to Italy, where he served with the 5th Army, until November, 1944 when he joined General Patch's Army, in France. SGT. Murphy is with the A. A. branch of the service. His wife is the former Miss Helen Russ, of Pass Christian.

A younger brother, Cpl. Dana K. Murphy who left October, 1942, in the Signal Corps, is somewhere in the Philippines.

Hospital Notes

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Chevis announce the birth of a son on March 9. The young man has been given the name of Albert Sidney.

The following patients underwent tonsil operations: Joan Nelson, Linda Larroux and Patricia Ann Morreale. All have been discharged.

Alexander Moran, Kiln, suffered a broken leg and is a patient at the hospital.

Elizabeth Poolson, 2 years old, is a patient in the hospital suffering from a dislocated hip.

Andrew Martinovich was discharged from the Hospital on Wednesday following an operation.

Andrew Martinovich was discharged from the hospital on March 31 following a severe appendectomy.

Other births recorded are Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Kingston, a son, Nolan A. Kingston, Jr., on March 30; Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Compretta, a son, Robert Joseph on March 24.

James Touchard underwent an appendix operation on March 30. He has been discharged but not before he had won the hearts of all in the hospital.

Mrs. Frank Bertucci was discharged on April 2 following an appendicectomy operation on March 28.

Little Geraldine and Billy Linn Witter were patients at the hospital last week when they had their tonsils removed. Both of them returned to New Orleans with their mother after the Easter holidays.

Jackie Luce, Henderson Point, was discharged on March 28 following an operation.

Side Lines Club Banquet

The St. Stanislaus Sidelines Club will have a banquet at the Reed Hotel, Friday night, 13th, 8:30, honoring the St. Stanislaus Basketball and Boxing teams. An informal party in the sun parlor at 7 p. m. will precede the banquet.

Dr. M. J. Wolfe, President, urges all members to be on hand as pictures of the Sugar Bowl game will be shown.

Womans Society Christian Service Meeting

The Womans Society of Christian Service will meet at the home of Mrs. E. E. Sampson on Tuesday, April 17 at 3:30 p. m. The Spiritual Life group will meet at 8:00 p. m. Entertaining with Mrs. Samples will be Mesdames George Schilling, Paul Delcuz, F. J. Nelson and E. S. Baker.

County To Cooperate In Nation-Wide Brake Check Program

To make cars last longer and to reduce accidents, the law enforcement officers of Hancock County will cooperate in the Nation-Wide Brake Check Program, stated John A. Egloff, Sheriff of Hancock County.

During a six week period, from April 15 until June 1, the law enforcement officers of the nation will check the brakes of all cars involved in moving traffic violations and in accidents. Cars which are operated in a manner indicating that the brakes are not safe, will also be checked.

"The brake check will be timely," said Sheriff Egloff, "because usually, accidents increase sharply in the Spring. Since cars on the average are twice as old today as before the war, they are more likely to suffer breakdowns. The brake check should be an invaluable aid in holding the line against the certain threat of car accidents."

The checking of brakes on cars is a simple and rapid process, requiring only one minute. A small block of wood is placed on the floor board under the brake pedal. The pedal is then pushed down and if it touches the block of wood, the brakes are unsafe and should be adjusted.

The program, sponsored by the International Association of Chiefs of Police, is supported by nearly 100 national organizations, including the Office of War Transportation and the U. S. Army Service Forces. Law enforcement officers throughout Mississippi are cooperating in this national program.

The state organization to promote the brake check program is headed by C. R. Bradley, Commissioner of Public Safety, with Fred L. Todd, Chief of Highway Patrol, and J. D. Holden, Chief of Police of Jackson, as executive officers. A State Advisory Committee is also functioning.

In Hancock County the brake check is in charge of the following County Advisory Committee, including the following members, who have the personal assistance of Cyril J. Reichert, state highway patrolman for this area:

Charles Murphy, Lander, Nease, Johnson Shaw, Ed Ortiz, John Wheat, Sam Favre, A. G. Favre, W. D. Bourgeois, M. A. Gilmore, Ben Hille, Geo. L. Cuevas, Lucien Gex.

Senior Class Play At Bay High School

"He Couldn't Marry Five" is the amusing title of the three-act comedy to be produced by the senior class of Bay High in the auditorium of the school on the evening of April 20 at 8 P. M. The title describes the major plot of the play which is all about a youth who goes to visit a family with five eligible daughters and falls in love with each and every one of them. To make things worse, the sisters all fall in love with the young man—or think they do. If this isn't a complicated situation, for any young man to find himself in, we'd like to know what it is. It seems hopeless but after many laughable situations every thing finally straightens out to everybody's satisfaction through the common sense advice of the girls' grandmother.

The performance will be under the direction of Mrs. George Curet who has been quoted as saying that "He Couldn't Marry Five" is one of the brightest and most utterly charming plays she has ever put on.

The following is the cast: Connie, the mother, June Wolfe; Ralph, the father, Don Strahan; Granny, Mary Catherine Bennett; Etta, old maid aunt, Doris Murphy; May, eldest daughter, Laura Ann Starita; April, second daughter, Rosemary Rollins; June, next in line, June Swan; Farism, fourth daughter, Marsha Jones; Leo, na, youngest daughter, Betty Lou Tacom; Donald Reagan, son of the boss, Karl Praetorius.

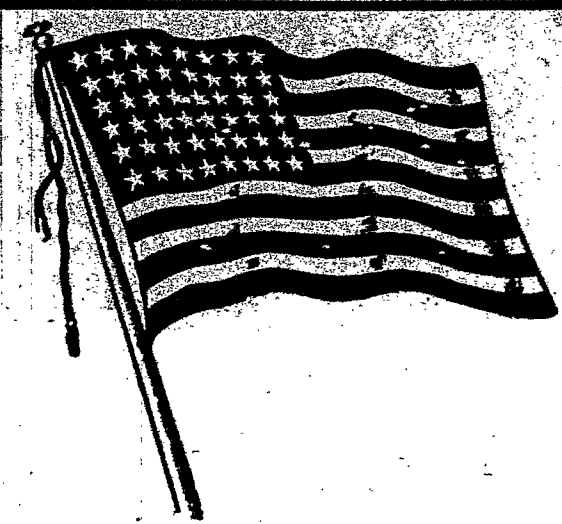
Admission: Adults 35c; Reserved Seats 50c; Students 25c. Curtain rises at 8 p. m.

Awarded Oak Leaf Cluster

An Eighth Air Force Bomber Station, England—First Lieutenant Robert M. Solomon, E-17 Flying Fortress pilot and son of Mrs. Marguerite Backman, 209 Harrison Court, Bay St. Louis, has been awarded the oak leaf cluster to his Air Medal, according to announcement by the commanding general of the U. S. Eighth Air Force.

Lt. Solomon won the Air Medal Cluster for "meritorious achievement" on a series of combat missions over Germany while flying with the 92nd Bombardment Group, oldest Fortress group in England.

Lt. Solomon attended Bay St. Louis High School and the University of Mississippi. Before entering the Air Forces in 1943 he was employed by W. A. McDonald & Sons in Bay St. Louis. He won his pilot's wings in April, 1944, and arrived overseas last August.



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PASSENGER CAR TIRES QUOTA REDUCED TO 9,903 APRIL

In order to stay within sharply reduced passenger car tire quotas for April, War Price and Rationing Boards in Mississippi have been instructed to narrow sharply the list of essential users to whom tires are issued during the month, Major W. E. Holcomb, District Director, declared today. The Boards are being furnished a preferential list of occupations, he added.

The creation of such groups is necessary because allocations for April by the War Production Board amount to less than 65 percent of the number of tires available for March, he stated. The District's March quota of 17,073 passenger car tires was reduced to 9,903 for April he said.

It is necessary that such a list be used in channeling this reduced quota to persons whose transportation needs are regarded as most essential to the war effort, he pointed out.

The first priority group is limited almost entirely to persons whose occupations are of emergency nature and to workers at establishments faced with production emergencies. Included in this group are eligible physicians, public health nurses, police and employees at critical war industries, he continued.

The relative emergency status of the groups comprising the priority lists has been certified by the War Manpower Commission, Major Holcomb said.

Hancock County passenger car drivers will have to guard their tires even more carefully during the coming months if they are to continue to drive, Homer Gregory, chairman of the Hancock County War Price and Rationing Board said today.

Hancock county board will have only 80% passenger car tires for rationing in April as compared to March, he said. The shortage of passenger tires makes it necessary that they be issued only after the war importance of each applicant's car use is measured against the importance of other applicant's cars, he pointed out. A preferential list of occupations for use in selecting persons to receive passenger car tires has been established.

This list will be used in channeling the reduced quota of tires to persons whose transportation needs are regarded as most essential to the war effort, he declared.

Under the new plan the number of eligibles is not reduced, but is classified into preference groups, based on the direct importance of the car's use to the war effort. The priorities in considering applications are divided into four groups, he continued.

First priority group is limited almost entirely to persons whose occupations are of emergency nature and to workers at establishments faced with production emergencies. Included in this group are eligible physicians, public health nurses, police and employees at critical war industries.

Group two includes persons employed in other essential establishments and persons who travel to essential war plants.

Group three includes such occupations as buyers for essential establishments and persons who travel to essential war plants.

Group four takes in all other persons eligible for grade one passenger tires, he said.

He added that each individual tire applicant must establish his present need for the tire applied for, even though he is rated in a high preference group.

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essential plants and those whose occupations are highly important to the war effort. In this group are farmers, farm workers, representatives of management, labor and government and others of similar importance.

Group three includes such occupations as buyers for essential establishments and persons who travel to essential establishments to perform necessary technical services.

Group four takes in all other persons eligible for grade one passenger tires, he said.

He added that each individual tire applicant must establish his present need for the tire applied for, even though he is rated in a high preference group.

CLASSIFIED ADS

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Logtown News

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Forest Summers Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. B. Gardner, Mrs. Bernice Casanova, Mr. Joseph Casanova and son of New Orleans, La.

Mrs. Lamar Otis, Mrs. C. W. Fountain, Jr., and Miss Minnie Otis attended a shower in Covington, La., last Wednesday evening given for Mrs. Otis' niece, Miss Caro Pearl Rousseau.

Eliot Casanova, Jr., left Wednesday for Camp Endicott, R. I., where he will receive his boot training in the Navy. He has the rating of MM 1jc.

Mrs. A. Jackson is improving in Baptist Hospital after having undergone an operation there last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rene Sacerdote spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Swanson and family in New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Howze spent a few days last week in their home here.

Mrs. Sidney Otis and daughter, Thelma, visited in New Orleans last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Lott and son were guests of Mr. Lott's mother, Mrs. Emily Lott, for the week end.

Mrs. Charles Ruffin, of Logtown, Miss., honored her daughter, Gladys, with a party celebrating her 20th birthday, in their home at Westonla Tower, Tuesday night. Those attending were: Leila Bass, Louise Maskey, Ollie Mae Carver, Mary Catherine Bennett, Lister Hoyer, Marvin Dawsey, Dan Strahan, J. W. Maskey, Rod Murphy, Neil Walker and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Eddie Ruffin.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Bids to be opened at Davidson's Store on May 1st for concrete blocks to be used in building the Moran Necaise Community Catholic Church.

Whereas the Catholics of the Moran-Necaise Community have made plans for the erection of a church on property located across the Kiln-Picayune Highway, from Davidson's Store, and now desire to receive bids for three thousand concrete blocks to be used in the construction of the church.

Bids to be submitted in two ways, to wit: One for the blocks made and delivered to the job or made on the job, with all materials furnished by the maker. The other to be based on the building committee furnishing the materials that enter into the making of the blocks, same to be made on premises or delivered there.

Bids are to be delivered to Davidson's Store on or by six p. m., April 30th, 1945 and will be opened on May 1st, 1945.

The size to be standard size concrete blocks.

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Sellers News

First Lieut. and Mrs. Travis Shaw of New Orleans visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shaw and Mr. and Mrs. Chandler Smith.

Cpl. Howard Harriel spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harriel.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Shaw and baby of Pascagoula visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Shaw and Mrs. and Mrs. J. E. Sauter over the week-end.

Mrs. Florence Sauter received word that her son Ralph has been promoted to Chief Petty Officer in the Coast Guard. She also had a letter from another son, Archie, saying he has arrived in France safely and is joining General Patton's Third Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Purvis Polk and Mrs. J. D. Stuckstill of Picayune, visited relatives in Necaise Sunday.

Mrs. Luke V. Sauter of Necaise went to New Orleans last week to attend the wedding of her brother Gerald Foley to Miss Louise Heugens. Another brother Rev. Albert S. Foley, S. J., came in from Spinghill College to perform the ceremony which took place at Loyola.

Sellers senior class plans to have their graduation sermon Sunday. At this writing they have not decided who will be the speaker.

Miss Docia Necaise of Gulfport and her niece Mrs. Virgie Hoda of Sellers just returned from visiting friends and relatives of Madisonville, Baton Rouge and New Orleans. Miss Necaise will return to her work Monday at Gulfport Air Field, where she has been working for the past two years.

EPISCOPAL GUILD MEETS

The Episcopal Guild of Christ church met on Tuesday morning of last week at the home of Miss Louise A. Crawford with a large attendance.

Mrs. Caroline Dale Smetekker had the program and gave a most interesting talk based on the book "The Returning Personnel." Mrs. Smetekker stressed what the individual as well as the church will owe the returning service men.

The Guild as a body decided that in place of the annual rummage sale that the members will collect the clothing as usual but will give them to the used clothing drive now on in the county.

Refreshments were served and a social hour was enjoyed.

The committee is made up of S. S. Moran, Albert Necaise and Oswald Moran. They reserve the right to refuse any and all bids submitted.

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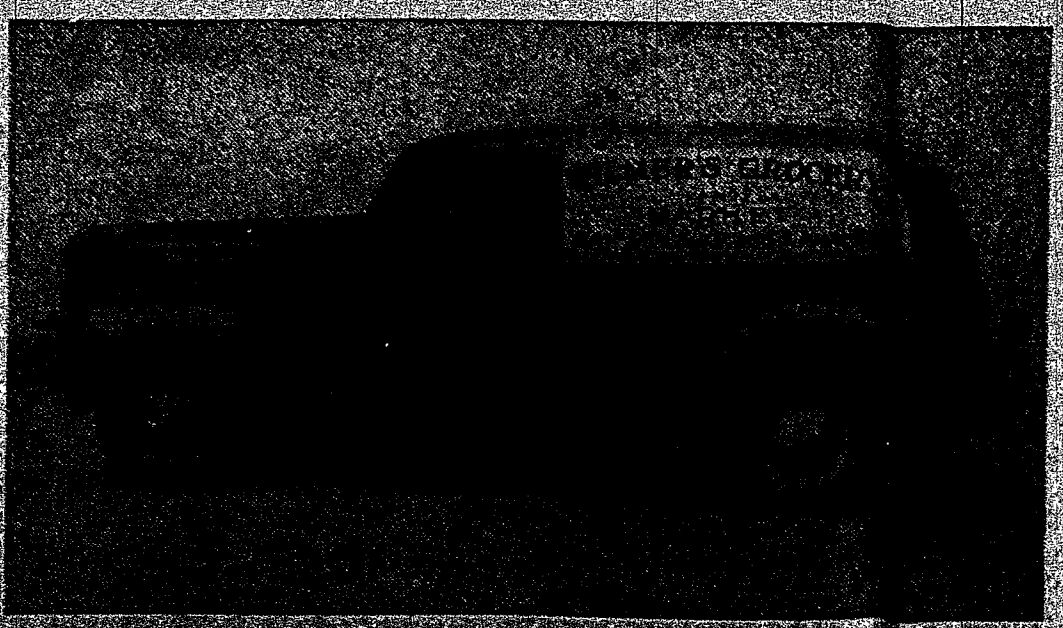
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BAY-CENTRAL P-T-A MET TUESDAY

The Bay Central P-T-A met on Tuesday afternoon at the school. A report was heard from the nominating committee who submitted the following officers' names: Mrs. Albert Biehl, president; Mrs. J. Townsend Wolfe, vice president; Mrs. A. J. Nolo, re-elected secretary; Mrs. Sam Whitfield, treasurer. They were unanimously elected and will be installed at the May meeting.

Mrs. A. O. Drescher discussed the topic "Making The Most of Success and Failure."

Mrs. Carl Smith who recently attended the three day institute at Jackson which was sponsored by the Mississippi State Board of Public Health reported on the course on "Family Relations. At a later date there will be an opportunity to join discussion groups pertaining to this subject.

At a previous meeting Dr. C. M. Shipp appeared before the P-T-A to acquaint them with the fact that the government would allow \$500 to the county that would match this amount and the money would be spent for the treatment and correction of any and all physical defects in school children. The committee appointed to see whether this \$500 was forthcoming reported that the city and county had responded to add to what the P-T-A. had and that the \$500 is now in the bank.

Refreshments were served and a social hour was enjoyed.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Whereas on December 14th, 1940, J. Roland Weston, executed a Deed of Trust to W. G. Phillips, Trustee, to secure an indebtedness therein mentioned to the Merchants Bank & Trust Company, which deed of trust is recorded in Vol. 35, pages 278-280, Records of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust on land in Hancock County, Mississippi, and

Whereas, the said indebtedness so secured is past due and unpaid, and Whereas, the said Merchants Bank & Trust Company, the holder of said indebtedness, having requested me, the undersigned Trustee, to foreclose said Deed of Trust,

Now Therefore, I will, on **MONDAY, MAY 7TH, 1945,** between legal hours offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Front County Court House Door of Hancock County, Mississippi, the land situated in Hancock County, Mississippi, and described in said Deed of Trust as follows, to-wit:

½ of NW¼, SW¼ of NW¼, NE¼ of SW¼ of Section 34, T. 6, S. R. 14 W.

½ of NE¼, W½ of SW¼ of Section 1, T. 7, S. R. 15 W.

½ of Lot 5, Section 29, T. 8, S. R. 14 W.

Advertised, posted and dated, this 10th day of April, A. D. 1945.

W. G. PHILLIPS
Trustee.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Whereas on August 5th, 1940, J. Roland Weston executed a Deed of Trust to W. G. Phillips, Trustee, to secure an indebtedness therein mentioned to the Merchants Bank & Trust Company, which deed of trust is recorded in Vol. 35, pages 54-56, Records of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust on land in Hancock County, Mississippi, and

Whereas, the said indebtedness so secured is past due and unpaid, and Whereas, the said Merchants Bank & Trust Company, the holder of said indebtedness, having requested me, the undersigned Trustee, to foreclose said Deed of Trust,

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The SE¼ of the SW¼, SW¼ of SE¼, Section 14, Township 6, South of Range 15, West, and the W½ of NE¼, and the NW¼ of Section 23, Township 6, South Range 15, West, containing 320 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey as shown by the records on file in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi.

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Pidgeon

"Mrs. Parkington," the best seller novel by Louis Bromfield, has been brought to the screen by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer in a stirring dramatization of Susie and Augustus Parkington and their long line of descendants. It opens Sunday and Monday at the Ortie Theatre.

Greer Garson and Walter Pidgeon, for whom "Mrs. Parkington" marks their fourth co-starring appearance, match their previous outstanding performances in "Blossoms in the Dust," "Mrs. Miniver," and "Madame Curie." It is the story of Susie Graham, of Leaping Rock, Nev., a small-town girl who is swept off her feet by the flamboyant Major Parkington, sophisticated, ambitious and daring, with plans of his own for social and financial power.

They are married and come to New York to live. How Susie and the Major start their life in the big city, their romance and its ups and downs and joys and tragedies—all make for one of the finest stories the screen has enjoyed in many a month.

There are a couple of young players in "Mrs. Parkington" about whom you have been hearing very nice things—and will continue to hear even nicer ones. We refer to Frances Rafferty and Tom Drake. You saw Frances in "Dragon Seed" and "Barbary Coast Gent." and Tom in "Two Girls and a Sailor," and "Maise Goes to Reno." Both are headed for stardom with their pleasing personalities and natural acting talents.

It is altogether a grand cast that supports the stars of "Mrs. Parkington," among them Edward Arnold and Gladys Cooper.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Whereas on May 9th, 1941, J. Roland Weston, executed a Deed of Trust to W. G. Phillips, Trustee, to secure an indebtedness therein mentioned to the Merchants Bank & Trust Company, which deed of trust is recorded in Vol. 35, pages 528-530, Records of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust on land in Hancock County, Mississippi, and

Whereas, the said indebtedness so secured is past due and unpaid, and Whereas, the said Merchants Bank & Trust Company, the holder of said indebtedness, having requested me, the undersigned Trustee, to foreclose said Deed of Trust,

Now Therefore, I will, on **MONDAY, MAY 7TH, 1945,** between legal hours offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Front County Court House Door of Hancock County, Mississippi, the land situated in Hancock County, Mississippi, and described in said Deed of Trust as follows, to-wit:

SE¼ of SW¼, and SW¼ of SE¼ of Section 7, T. 6, S. R. 14 W.

NE¼ of NW¼, and SW¼ of NE¼ of Section 18, T. 6, S. R. 14 W.

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AN M-G-M PICTURE

Aaron Academy

Pvt. and Mrs. Huston Frierson announce the arrival of a son, the second, born April 3rd in Martin Sanatorium, Picayune. Both mother and son are doing fine.

Cpl. Lovelle Frierson has arrived home on a 30-day furlough after two years overseas service. Other men home are Buddy McQueen, Clifford Craft, Alfred Mitchell, Jr., U. S. Navy.

Mrs. Jack Frierson received a letter from her son Harlan. He is with the 7th Army and is O. K. News from Edward Frierson in Burma is that the fighting is increasing there. News from Cpl. Louis Thigpen, Jr., is that he is being sent back to England for a few days rest after months of combat duty with the 9th Army.

Our sympathy and prayers go out to our neighbors Mr. and Mrs. Jake Frierson who lost their son Elbert in action on Luzon.

Miss Mary Rose Campbell spent the week end in New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Frierson are building a new addition to their

home. Mrs. Pitts' new home is nearing completion.

Mrs. Monroe Frierson is visiting her mother.

Mrs. Kenneth McCarty and child, ren visited her parents at Kiln Sunday.

Catahoula News

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Bounds announce the birth of a daughter, Rita Carol.

Everyone enjoyed the play "At the Ranch On Sunset Trail" given by Catahoula School Thursday night.

Mrs. Henry Hapriel visited her son and daughter-in-law Thursday.

The graduation at Catahoula was a great success Thursday night.

Miss Doris Chevas of P. R. C. spent the week end at home.

Catahoula School closed Friday announcing a very successful year.

Mr. and Mrs. Romar Cuevas and children visited here Friday.

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SUNDAY AND MONDAY
"SINCE YOU WENT AWAY"

Selznick Epic, Heartwarming Tribute To Home Folks

"Since You Went Away," David O. Selznick's first film since the Academy Award-winning "Gone With the Wind" and "Rebecca," starring Claudette Colbert, Joseph Cotten, Jennifer Jones, Shirley Temple, Monty Woolley, Lionel Barrymore and Robert Walker, arrives at the A. & G. Theatre on Sunday thru United Artists release.

Described as a "panorama of the home front," "Since You Went Away" is the first film to glorify America and the folks at home. In the simple story of the Hilton family, Selznick has delineated a portrait of all of the families of America. In this household composed of Anne Hilton and her two daughters, Janet and "Brig," the producer has captured all the laughter, warmth and pathos of the average American home whose man has gone to war.

Stars Have Great Roles

Claudette Colbert, in the finest portrayal of her entire career, plays Anne Hilton, guardian angel and all-around protector of the morale and physical well-being of her family and friends. Miss Colbert, who has had a long and highly successful career in Hollywood, calls her role in "Since You Went Away" the best she has ever played.

Jennifer Jones and Shirley Temple play the Hilton girls, Janet and "Brig," with Monty Woolley complicating life around the house. hold with one of his famous acid-tongued characterizations as Colonel Smollett, the Colonel who came to dinner—and stayed.

The men in the case are two of Hollywood's finest eligibles, Joseph Cotten and Robert Walker.

Lionel Barrymore, beloved veteran of the screen, plays a minister in the film.

A cast of hundreds, including Hattie McDaniel, Nazimova, Agnes Moorehead, Albert Bassener, Keenan Wynn and Lloyd Corrigan, in important supporting roles, combines to make the player-list for "Since You Went Away" one of the greatest ever assembled for a film.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI To Manuella Trinta Smith.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Second Monday of May, A. D. 1945, to defend the suit No. 4915 in said Court of Edward E. Smith, wherein you are a Defendant.

This 27th day of March, A. D. 1945.

(SEAL) A. G. FAYRE, Clerk.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI To Gilbert McMillon

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Second Monday of May, A. D. 1945, to defend the suit No. 4893 in said Court of Trudy Lang McMillon, wherein you are a Defendant.

This 22nd day of March, A. D. 1945.

(SEAL) A. G. FAYRE, Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration on the estate of Mrs. Charles Testart, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Miss., on the 20th day of March, 1945, and therefore notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court, within six months from this date, and failure to so probate and register same in six months will bar the claim.

MRS. MIRIELE TESTART DROUET,

Administratrix of the Estate of Mrs. Charles Testart, Dec'd.

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News and Cartoon

Saturday, 14
SMILEY BURNETTE &
SUNSET GARSON in
"CODE OF THE PRAIRIE"
"Man Hunt of Mystery Island No. 3 and Comedy"

Sunday-Monday-Tuesday —
April 15, 16, 17
CLAUDETTE COLBERT,
JENNIFER JONES, JOSEPH
COTTEN, SHIRLEY TEMPLE,
LIONEL BARRYMORE &
ROBERT WALKER in
"SINCE YOU WENT AWAY"

Sunday 3 shows—3, 7 and 9 p. m.
Monday, Tuesday, 2 shows 6 and 9 p. m.

Wednesday, 18—(1 Day Only)
CLAUDIA DRAKE & DONALD
WOODS in
"ENEMY OF WOMEN"
Short Subjects

Thursday-Friday, 19-20
JAMES LYDON & BARBARA
BELDON in
"WHEN THE LIGHTS GO ON
AGAIN"

Waveland News

Construction has begun on the Municipal Pier, at the end of Coleman Avenue. It fulfills a long felt need of the residents and visitors of Waveland. The pier will enable them to enjoy the beauty and benefits of the beach and water.

Many visitors were over last week end looking for houses to rent for the summer season.

Mrs. Sidney Carrio and Mrs. Roger Bordages went to New Orleans on Wednesday to visit their cousin who is ill.

Miss Marjorie Bordages came over from New Orleans to spend the week end with her father and sister.

Lt. and Mrs. Jack Jackson were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Bordages on Sunday. Lt. Jackson is now stationed at Gulfport Field and will reside in Bay St. Louis.

John Glass of the U. S. Navy, who has been overseas for the past three years, has been discharged.

The John Caruso property on the beach and Hillcrest Street has been sold to R. J. Thoman of New Orleans. The sale was made through the Waveland Realty Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Steven Leach and family, who recently purchased the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Stoltz, on Coleman avenue, were over for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Matthews and a host of friends spent the week end at their summer home in Jeff Davis avenue.

Ch. P. M. Hugh W. Griffin, who has been stationed at Mobile, Ala., has been assigned to duty overseas.

Mrs. W. H. Ruhr, of Nicholson avenue, was the happy recipient of a beautiful potted hydrangea plant on Easter. The gift was sent by her son Pfc. W. H. Ruhr who is with the 3rd Marines. Pfc. Ruhr was in the battle of Iwo Jima and according to word received by his parents is O. K.

Miss Myrtle Mae Ladner, who is employed in New Orleans, came over for the week end to visit with her parents Mayor and Mrs. Garfield Ladner and family.

Mrs. Vital Bourgeois and daughter Mrs. Humphrey Lee Ferrell went to New Orleans on a business and pleasure trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carver spent Saturday in New Orleans visiting their children and families.

Mrs. George Stelz and baby daughter Georgeanne have returned from New Orleans to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carver, where she is staying while her husband is somewhere in the Pacific with the Seabees. Mrs. Stelz was the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Martin, while in New Orleans.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Vital Bourgeois and family are Mrs. Dorothy Lee and baby daughter of New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sterkin drove over on Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Ferd Lang at their summer home. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Holderith.

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EVELYN KEYES in
"STRANGE AFFAIR"

THE TEXAS RANGERS in
"GUNSMOKE MESA"
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Sunday-Monday
GREER GARSON
WALTER PIDGEON in
M. G. M.'s Romantic Triumph
"MRS. PARKINGTON"
with EDWARD ARNOLD,
TOM DRAKE
Plus—Cartoon—Zoot Cat
Latest Univ. News

Tuesday
"SHADOWS IN THE NIGHT"
with WARNER BAXTER
NINA FOCH
Plus—Selected Short
Latest News

Wednesday-Thursday
JOHN WAYNE
JEAN ARTHUR
"LADY TAKES A CHANCE"
Plus—Motion Picture
Latest Fox News

Clermont Harbor

The many friends of Mrs. Ike Williams regret to know she is confined in the Kings Daughters Hospital, Bay St. Louis as a result of an automobile accident which occurred last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Ming and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Perkins.

Thursday afternoon, the Mothers' Club held their regular monthly meeting at the school house. Plans for the closing exercises were discussed.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Harvety spent Sunday with Mrs. Eva Ladner.

Mrs. Sam Brown and son and Miss Doby of Picayune spent Sunday with Mrs. Jeanne Williams.

Many visitors from New Orleans spent Saturday and Sunday in the community, either in their own summer cottages or in the homes of their friends.

Gainesville News

Members who attended the church meeting at Carriere Sunday were Mrs. Cora Miller, Mrs. Tom Patch, Mrs. Rankin Rester and Mr. Jay Warren.

Mrs. K. E. Miller, Mrs. Margaret Carver and Miss Ada Carver are visiting in Pensacola, Fla., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Warren and family visited Mr. Jay Warren on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Pittman were visitors here last week.

Albert V. Miller, S 2c has been moved from Great Lakes, Ills to Norman, Okla. He is attending school there.

Our revival meeting will begin here on April 22. Everyone is invited.

Flat Top News

Mr. Reuben Wheat from New Orleans, La., visited his mother, Mrs. Maude Wilcat Sunday.

Mrs. Shaw from Sellers community is spending a while with her daughter Mrs. J. B. Wheat, Sr.

Rev. and Mrs. Mack Pickens and family from New Orleans, La., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Fountain McQueen spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Archie McQueen from Crosby, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie McQueen from Crosby, Miss., spent last week end with Mrs. McQueen's parents Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Davis.

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CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI To Vito Sparacino.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Second Monday of May, A. D. 1945 to defend the suit No. 4919 in said Court of Vito Sparacino, wherein you are a Defendant.

This 6th day of April, A. D. 1945.

(SEAL) A. G. FAYRE, Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration on the Estate of Albert L. Theard, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 6th day of April, A. D. 1945, and therefore notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court, within six months from this date, and failure to so probate and register same in six months will bar the claim.

This the 6th day of April, A. D. 1945.

MRS. MARIE THEARD
Executrix of the Estate of Albert L. Theard, Deceased.



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Kiln News

Mrs. Frank Marshall and sons F. J. and Jack and Mrs. James Le Fevre of New Orleans spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Curet.

Mr. Gus Adams spent a few days this week with his family. He is now employed at Knoxville, Tenn.

Leroy Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee spent his furlough with his parents. He is in the Navy and is stationed at Great Lakes, Ills.

A baby daughter was born recently to Sgt. and Mrs. Jim Peterson. She was given the name of Sandra Jo.

Mr. Roy Genin spent several days last week in Jackson as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Koch, Jr.

Kiln School commencement exercises were held last week and a large crowd attended. All of this class were boys.

Miss Jessie Mae Stiglet daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Agnel Stiglet is spending this week in Bay St. Louis with her aunt Mrs. Anegline Alexander.

Leetown News

Mr. Earl McNeece of Marton, Miss., was a visitor of Miss Julia Mae Lee Friday.

Misses Virgie and Mildred Baker were home last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard C. Lee and Mr. L. Lee went to New Orleans Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lee announce the birth of a boy on April 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lee announce the birth of a boy April 4. Mrs. Lee is in the Poplarville Hospital.

Week-end visitors of John L. Baker

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City Echoes

—Mrs. Tinnie Ferrell is visiting in the home of her son, Mr. Clifton Ferrell.

—Dr. C. M. Shipp spent Tuesday in Hattiesburg on business of the Hancock County Health Dept.

—Mrs. Bordelon is visiting her husband, Sergeant Nick Bordelon at San Antonio, Texas.

—Robert Scharff spent last week end in New Orleans where he visited at the home of friends.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Blaize spent the Easter holidays here with Mrs. Blaize's family at A. K. Kergosien's.

—Misses Thelma Namais and Virginia Dick spent the Easter holidays in New Orleans as guests of relatives.

—Mrs. John Walker of Montgomery, Alabama, is the guest here of her sister-in-law Mrs. Kelly Reynolds.

—Miss Lucile Noble and Mrs. John Kidd, members of the high school faculty, spent last week end in New Orleans.

—Mrs. H. Bly returned to New Orleans Monday after a two week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Cassidy.

—Mrs. Shellman Davis, Mrs. Russell Franklin and Mrs. George Stevenson formed a party going down to New Orleans on Tuesday.

—Mr. Kenneth Knoblock left two weeks ago to accept a position on the staff of the New Orleans Item. Mrs. Knoblock is still at the Waveland home and Mr. Knoblock comes out for the weekends.

—Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Knoblock had as their guests last week end Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hay of New Orleans.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joe Samuel entertained Mr. and Mrs. Julius Goldman of New Orleans last week at their Nicholas Avenue home.

—Miss Ruth Necaise returned Sunday from Los Angeles, Calif., where she visited her sister, Mrs. Robert Favre.

—Mrs. John McDonald arrived here last week from her home in Mexico, Missouri, for a visit to Mrs. W. A. McDonald and the C. C. McDonalds.

—Mrs. and Mrs. Sheldon Keckler of Lake Charles, La., were recent week-end guests here visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Curran.

—Mrs. Kenneth Knoblock had as her guests on Tuesday for dinner and bridge Mrs. John Kidd, Miss Lucile Noble and Miss Elizabeth Harrington.

—Carol Ann Higgins is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Capdepon. Carol Ann is the little daughter of Warrant Officer and Mrs. W. L. Higgins of Keesler Field.

—Mrs. Agnes Wentworth fell at her home on Tuesday and suffered severe bruises of the right shoulder and arm. Though she is laid up she is resting and not seriously hurt.

—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lang on Saturday, April 7th, a son, Michael John Lang, their second son and fourth child. Mr. and Mrs. Lang also have twin daughters.

—Mrs. L. F. Reynolds, Washington, D. C., Mrs. Eleanor Wilcox, Mr. and Mrs. George Kiefer and Mrs. Judith Kiefer, New Orleans, were house guests over last week end of Mrs. Frank Kiefer and family. Mrs. Kiefer also had as her guests Miss Frances Speer of Bogalusa and her son Hugh Kiefer.

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John Osoinach spent the Easter holidays here with his father Henry Osoinach. His many friends were very happy to see John who has not been here for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Pendleton and children occupied their summer home at Waveland during the Easter holidays. They had as their guest Mr. Shelby Williams of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Avery Smith all of Pascagoula spent last week end here as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Farr and Bernard Farr.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Carter, Mrs. Howard Smith and young son Howard, Jr., left this week for New Orleans where they met Major Howard Smith who arrived in New Orleans from overseas duty.

Miss Nellie McDonald arrived last week from her home in Memphis for a visit to Mrs. W. A. McDonald. Miss McDonald's friends here have learned to wait for her visit each year.

Major and Mrs. Joseph Holoubek and children, of New Orleans, spent part of this week as guests of Mrs. Holoubek's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Baker, at their home in Union Street.

Carl Marshall has resumed his studies at Bay High upon his return from New York where he went with his mother, Mrs. Carl Marshall, for a visit to Miss Carolyn Marshall. Mrs. Marshall will return later.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brown spent two days last week as guests of their son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Sumrall. Also visiting the Sumralls were Mrs. Sumrall's uncle E. N. Brown of Manila, P. I. and her sister Mrs. Isham Gregory of Tusculum, Alabama.

Ekredge Helwick who is with the radio unit of the U. S. Army is at his home in Pass Christian from the South Pacific Theatre of War. He was formerly associated here with the Radio & Electric Service and spent one day here seeing friends.

Sergeant Alton Erwin, on a furlough from overseas duty, took a plane trip last week to Fort Worth to visit his brother Major J. E. Erwin. Major Erwin returned with Sergeant Erwin and is spending a few days leave here with the Erwin family.

James A. Evans, Jr., is at Camp Blanding, Florida, where he will take his Army basic training. "Jim" is the son of Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Evans and following his graduation from Bay High completed his Freshman year at Mississippi State before entering the service.

Miss Carol Stevenson and her room mate Miss Elizabeth Woods of Biloxi, both students at the University of Mississippi spent last week at Water Valley visiting relatives of Miss Woods who formerly resided there. Miss Stevenson will arrive home the latter part of this week for a few days visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. George Stevenson.

Mrs. Thomas Arnold was taken to New Orleans last week for further treatment. Mrs. Arnold has been ill for some time but was thought to be well enough to be at her home but it became necessary for her to return to the hospital. Her friends hope she will soon be sufficiently recovered to be brought to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gluck of New Orleans spent the latter part of last week here as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Percival Stern at Waveland.

Lieutenant Clarence Holm, Navy, and Mrs. Holm who have been occupying the Mogabag cottage have been transferred to Miami, Florida. Lt. Holm has been attached to the M. M. Cadet Basic School at Henderson Point.

Among the courtesies extended to Ensign and Mrs. Paul Lacoste while Ensign Lacoste was on leave was a dinner and boat trip up Jordan River on board the McDonald's pleasure yacht with Mr. and Mrs. C. McDonald as hosts. Those on the trip besides those mentioned were Mr. and Mrs. Harold B. Weston, Mrs. William Ross Pitcairn, Mrs. David McDonald, Mrs. John McDonald, John Henry Weston, and Jimmy McDonald.

Jesse T. Caldwell left on Thursday evening for her home in Louisville, Kentucky, after a visit here of two weeks as the guest of Mrs. George E. Rea at her home in Washington Street. Mrs. Caldwell was charmed with the coast and especially Bay St. Louis where she found the people so hospitable and charming, she said. Many small social attentions were given her which helped make her visit one to be remembered. There were small luncheons, dinners and her three day visit to New Orleans over the Easter week end gave her a taste of New Orleans' delicious foods. There she was the guest for dinners and luncheons and a theatre dinner when she witnessed the production of "Bell for Adono" at the Little Theatre.

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PRE-NUPITAL AFFAIRS FOR MISS ELSIE MAE SMITH

Many pre-nuptial affairs were given here for Miss Elsie Mae Smith who was married to Michael F. Egan on Wednesday, April 11 at Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church.

Miss Smith was the honoree at a luncheon at Hotel Reed when Mrs. L. E. Bester was hostess to a group of the honoree's close friends. Dainty silver and white place cards marked the places and were used as favors. The honoree and her mother Mrs. A. P. Smith were presented with corsages of white carnations.

Mrs. N. L. Carter, Mrs. E. N. Spence and Mrs. Edouard Carrere entertained jointly at a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. Carter honoring Miss Smith.

For this occasion Miss Smith was looking lovely in a powder blue pousseau dress and received her many gifts in her usual gracious manner.

She was also honored at a Kitchen Shower at the home of Mrs. E. N. Spence with Mrs. H. A. Eldredge and Mrs. M. A. Gilmore as co-hostesses. Miss Smith looked the part of the bride-elect in a gold colored sheer and white dress, trimmed with gold and silver. She wore a corsage of Star of Bethlehem, a gift from her hostesses. She received these more practical gifts with the same appreciation as she received the dainty ones.

Mrs. J. R. Rollins and Misses Rosemary and Alicia Rollins entertained at a tea with Miss Smith as the guest of honor.

Mrs. Rollins was assisted in receiving by Mrs. A. P. Smith, Mrs. Beatrice Smith and Miss Elsie Mae Smith. Following the tea, Mrs. C. P. Carrere and Mr. and Mrs. Clifton C. Carrere entertained informally at the home of Mrs. Kergosien at a "Get together" dinner with the guest list limited to the school friends of Miss Smith.

Attending were her parents Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Smith, her sister Mrs. Beatrice Smith and Mr. and Mrs. William Watts, Mr. and Mrs. William Watts, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Peran, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Larroux, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dupiquier, Mr. and Mrs. John Fagan, Mrs. Althea Watts, Mrs. Donald McCulloch, Mrs. Frances Eaton and Henry Chapman.

Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Blair entertained at a cocktail party at their home in Julia street. Miss Smith and on Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. Roger Boh honored her with a cocktail party to a larger group of her friends. The guest list included a large number of out of town friends who were here for the wedding.

Following the wedding rehearsal Mr. and Mrs. Leo W. Seal, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Robin, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McDonald and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McDonald entertained at a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Seal.

For this dinner Miss Smith wore a floor length dress of ice blue brocade satin with a corsage of yellow roses. The list of invited guests was quite long and included besides the wedding party and the family, relatives and out of town guests.

In all of these parties there was an evidence of the untiring efforts to make them as beautiful as possible and this was shown in both the house decorations and the tea and dinner tables. Each party was carried out in a different color scheme and the lovely gowns worn by the hostesses and others made a picture to live in the memory of the bride. These affairs too attested in full measure to the popularity of the bride.

RAKING AROUND

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WEDDING WEDNESDAY OF MISS ELSIE MAE SMITH AND MICHAEL F. EGAN

One of the loveliest weddings seen here in some time was that of Miss Elsie Mae Smith and Michael Egan which was solemnized at Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church on Wednesday, April 11 at 11 o'clock. The Right Reverend Monsignor A. J. Gmelch officiated.

Miss Smith was given in marriage by her father, her petite figure was arrayed in a light blue gown made of tulle and lace which she wore with the full skirt which touched the floor. Falling from the waist line was a spray of rose petals which were scattered to the skirt and held in place by an underneath tulle bow. The sweetheart veil finished with a sweetheart neck filled in with the tulle. The long sleeves were puffed to the elbow and a long tight fitting cuff over the hand with the rose petals tucked on the cuff. In her hair she wore the soft curls of the same shade as the dress and they held the short neck length veil of illusion to the head.

Her only ornament was a string of pearls, a gift from the bridegroom. She carried a prayer book from which cascaded the flesh colored carnations.

She had as her matron of honor her sister, Mrs. Beatrice Smith and as maid of honor her younger sister Miss Shirley Smith. Both wore the dresses of the deeper shade of pink tulle made with the tight fitting leques and full skirts. They carried the tulle bouquets which were trimmed with the sweetheart roses and wore the skull caps of tulle edged with the same flowers.

Mr. Egan had as his best man Mr. John Fagan of New Orleans and as his groomsmen Everett Eaton of Sumrall.

The Bridal Chorus from Lohen-grin was used for the entrance of the bride and groom. Mendelssohn's wedding march for the recessional. Presiding at the altar were the brides' eleven year old cousin William Fagan of New Orleans. During the ceremony Mrs. Edouard Carrere sang Mrs. Marie Weber's song, "The Altar of the Church was banked with pink radiance roses against a background of potted palms and ribbons of pink tulle marked the seat.

The ushers were Leo W. Seal, Dr. James A. Evans, Emmett L. Beter, Clifton C. Ferrell, Walter J. Gex and William Lodwick.

Miss Smith is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Smith of this city and has been a general school favorite in the younger circles. She has since her childhood shown marked talent in drawing and painting and has received recognition for her oil reproductions of photographs.

Mr. Egan is the son of Mrs. Margaret Egan and the late Mr. Egan of Baltimore, Maryland, and holds the position of Field representative of the Rural Electrification Administration of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. He is a graduate of Loyola College of Baltimore and is a descendant of one of the old families of Baltimore.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the South Beach home of the bride's parents where the large reception rooms were colorful with floor baskets filled with pink gladioli and white carnations and tables holding containers filled with radiance roses.

The bride's table was covered with flesh net over pink satin and caught with the sweetheart roses. It was with a four-tiered wedding cake and silver candelabra held pink candles.

Presiding at the punch bowl was Mrs. J. A. Evans who wore a grey lace evening dress. The tea girls, Virginia Seal, Rosemary Rollins, Alicia Rollins, Barbara Ann Trautour, Gay Gex and Jean Robin.

Assisting Mrs. Smith in receiving were her sister Mrs. C. M. Eaton of Laurel, Kergosien, Mrs. John Fagan, Mrs. Althea Watts and Miss Frances Eaton.

Mrs. Smith wore an aqua marine chiffon dress with corsage of orchids. Following the reception the couple left for an extended wedding trip. For traveling the bride wore a Navy blue coat suit and flesh blouse, a Navy blue hat with a touch of flesh in the trimming and Navy Blue accessories. Upon their return they will be at home in their own home on South Beach.

There was a large number of guests from out of town here for the wedding coming from Mississippi, New Orleans and other points in Louisiana.

May there be blue skies, calm waters and flower paths all along the highway of your married life.

ENTERTAIN AT INFORMAL RECEPTION

Ensign Paul V. Lacoste, U. S. Navy, and Mrs. Lacoste arrived here last week to spend a short leave prior to Ensign Lacoste's leaving for overseas duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold B. Weston entertained at an informal reception at their home on Thursday evening from 8 to 10 honoring their son-in-law and daughter.

The reception rooms were bright with spring flowers and a beautifully appointed tea table held a wedding cake surrounded with silver candle holders holding the lighted candles. Presiding at punch bowl were Mrs. Charles White and Mrs. Harold Morris of New Orleans was in charge of the bride's book. The tea girls were Alicia and Rosemary Rollins, Barbara Dresher of Bay St. Louis and Dorothy Robinson of Birmingham, Alabama.

Mrs. Lacoste was looking radiant in her wedding gown and in her usual gracious manner received congratulations from many friends here and those coming from other cities all of whom were denied the privilege of attending her wedding which was celebrated in New York City in February. There were many calling during the hours of the reception.

totaling approximately 125 million dollars. At the F. C. Wagner plantation near Grenada last week fifty head of Hereford cattle were sold for \$24,200, the ten highest averaging \$1,183.50 each. Five states were represented in the buying—

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GUEST SPEAKER

Mrs. J. W. Watts, returned Missionary from Palestine, was the guest speaker at the meeting of the Womans Missionary Union at the Baptist church on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Watts gave a short history of the Missionary work of the Baptist through the hundred years to the present time. The Devotional was led by Rev. W. S. Allen, pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Watts are now located in New Orleans where Mr. Watts is on the faculty of the Baptist Bible Institute.

Kiln News

Don't forget the dance at Davidson's Saturday, April 14. Come help with our church fund.

Mrs. W. R. Sevier who has been visiting in the Davidson home, has left for Memphis, Tenn., to visit friends and relatives and then will go to her home in Washington, D. C.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed Bids will be received by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Waveland, Mississippi, to be delivered to the Clerk of this Board later than 7:30 P. M. on May 8th, 1945, for furnishing and distributing asphalt on certain streets of Waveland, Miss. This item shall consist of the furnishing of asphalt, and the distributing of the same on streets to be designated by the said Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the said Town of Waveland, Mississippi, at any time and place so designated. The bid shall provide for furnishing and distributing same at any time or times prior to one year from the date of the acceptance of the bid.

MC-1 liquid asphalt (prime) shall be in accordance with the Miss. State Highway Department Specification Serial Designation MC-1 liquid asphalt, page 449 Section 120.07 (b), Mississippi State Highway Department Book of Standard Specifications.

AC-15 Asphalt cement shall be in accordance with the Miss. State Highway Department Specification Serial Designation AC-15 asphalt cement, page 447, section 120.06 (b), Mississippi State Highway Department Book of Standard Specifications.

The bidder shall bid on the furnishing and the distribution of said materials. The shipment of said materials must be accompanied by a certificate from a reputable commercial testing laboratory proving conformance with specification outlined above. The cost of said test to be paid by the contractor and included in the bid price.

The successful bidder shall furnish bond in the form and amount as provided by law for the faithful performance of his contract. The Mayor and Board of Aldermen reserve the right to reject any and all bids, waive all formalities and award the contract to the best interest of the Town of Waveland, Mississippi. Copies of said specifications are on file in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

TOWN OF WAVELAND, MISSISSIPPI

By: MRS. H. K. HOLDERRITH, City Secretary.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI. To Charles W. Hopkins, Silver Springs, Maryland, and all persons having or claiming any right, title or interest in and to the following described land, to-wit:

Lot Nine (9), Block Thirty-Two (32), Town of Clermont Harbor, Hancock County, Mississippi. You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock in said State, on the Second Monday of May, A. D. 1945 to defend the suit No. 4925 in said Court of Anaise Lamothe.

The same being a suit to quiet and confirm complainants Tax title to said land above described, wherein you are a defendant.

This 12th day of April, A. D. 1945. (SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, to be delivered to the Clerk of said Board, not later than 11:00 o'clock A. M. on

MONDAY, MAY 7TH, 1945 for the publishing of the minutes of the Board of Supervisors, and disbursements of said Board, as provided by Sections 2885 and 2889 of the Code of 1942 of Mississippi.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. The successful bidder shall furnish bond in the manner provided for by law for the faithful performance of his contract.

This 12th day of April, A. D. 1945. (SIGNED) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI. To Paul Baker

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Second Monday of May, A. D. 1945 to defend the suit No. 4921 in said Court of Mrs. Helen Hountha and Dorothy Mary Hountha, wherein you are a defendant.

This 10th day of April, A. D. 1945. (SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI.

To Mrs. Al. C. Agnew, if alive, and, if dead, her unknown Heirs at Law and Legatees; and William E. Loeser, if alive, and if dead his Unknown Heirs at Law and Legatees; and all persons having or claiming any right, title, or interest in and to the following described land, to-wit:

Lot Thirteen (13), Block Thirty-two (32) Town of Clermont Harbor, Hancock County, Mississippi.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock in said State on the Second Monday of May, A. D. 1945 to defend the suit No. 4924 in said Court of Anaise Lamothe.

The same being a suit to quiet and confirm complainants Tax title to said land above described, wherein you are a defendant.

This 12th day of April, A. D. 1945. (SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI. To the Heirs-at-Law of Jules Hountha, Deceased:

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Second Monday of May, A. D. 1945, to defend the suit No. 4923 in said Court of Mrs. Helen Hountha and Dorothy Mary Hountha, wherein you are a defendant. Being a suit by the said Mrs. Helen Hountha and Dorothy Mary Hountha, petitioning that they be recognized as the sole and only heirs at law of Jules Hountha, deceased, and as such placed in possession of the estate, both real and personal of the said Jules Hountha, deceased.

This 10th day of April, A. D. 1945. (SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.